



Message from your President

What a wonderful start we have made for AAUW for 2013!! Already we have been involved in four important events, which have contributed to our personal knowledge and that of others within our sphere of influence.



Anne Barton, President

1. Our January General Meeting brought us a terrific presentation by Lisa Schnebly Heidinger about prominent Arizona Women, who lived interesting lives and made a difference in the lives of others.

2. In February, we held a well-attended General Meeting, complete with a

presentation on women, clothes and history, along with unbelievably delicious scones (made by our own talented members), tea and coffee.

3. Our Winter Sister-to-Sister Luncheon held February 5 at Yavapai College gave 20 members the opportunity to meet with students from Bradshaw High School. What a boost it gave our attending members to spend time with young women who are excited about going out into the world and making a difference. Inspiration and motivation goes both ways!! Please consider taking part in future Sister-to-Sister events.

4. On February 7, members of our Public Policy Committee, drove down to the Capitol for a meeting with our legislators, giving them an opportunity to express our concerns and interest in matters which affect the well-being of women in Arizona. The group met with Karen Fann, Steve Pierce and Andy Tobin, conducting a short, but lively discussion with our local representatives.

Coming attractions include our Annual Neighborhood Meetings on March 9, 2013. A member of your Board of Directors will attend each meeting. This gathering provides each of us an opportunity to meet members who live in our neighborhoods, to learn about upcoming events and activities, to provide feedback to the

Board about our organization, and to discuss ideas on ways we can grow, improve and better serve the women in our community. Please plan to attend the meeting in your area and remember to RSVP.

Warmly,

Anne Barton, President

Save the Date: 2013 Summer Social

This year's Summer Social will be held on Saturday morning, June 8th in the Community Room of the Library building at Yavapai College (the same room in which our general meetings are held). We need volunteers to help make this introduction to AAUW Prescott an engaging and informative event for our prospective members.

This is a perfect committee for new members to join: it is a great way to meet other members of our branch and requires only a short-term commitment. Any member willing to help with the committee should contact our Summer Social Chair, Laurel Shunk. Her contact information is in the address book.

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Next Program: Neighborhood Meetings

The March 9th AAUW meeting will be in the form of Neighborhood Meetings, *i.e.* (for newer members) people living in particular geographical areas will meet at a nearby home of an AAUW hostess. Present at each meeting will be a member of the Board of Directors, a member of the Public Policy Committee, and YOU and your neighbors. This is an opportunity to become better acquainted with other members in your neighborhood and to become better informed about what our branch is doing locally, statewide, and nationally. Your input will be an important part too.

Expect to hear from your hostess soon, and please respond to her invitation with a resounding, "YES, I'll be there!" You might even volunteer to bring a snack to share.

Lynne Murphy, Program Chair

Couples Geocaching Group

In addition to our existing ladies geocaching group, we now have a couples geocaching group. The couples group will be meeting on the second Friday morning of the month at 10 am, and will have their first meeting on March 8th. So if you're tired of the same-old-same-old outings, and you've been wanting to do something that's novel, relaxing, and playful with your significant other, here is the opportunity you've been looking for.

You just have to promise not to argue over who gets to have control of the GPS!

See the [Geocaching Interest Group](#) page for schedules and more information. Contact Sara DeRouchev if you'd like to join the group.



Public Policy Committee to Explore Mental Health Needs

On Wednesday, March 5th at 1:00 pm, the Public Policy Committee for AAUW will meet in Founders' Suite B at the library to explore mental health needs. Laura Norman from West Yavapai Guidance Clinic will make a presentation about what is being done locally to help the mentally ill. We will also share written materials from the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) about current mental health issues and will discuss ways that we can make a difference. Some issues we will explore include educating teachers to be alert to early signs of mental illness, possible roles for police in getting help for people who display behavior that may be of concern, and where family members of the mentally ill can go for help. Bonnie Waterer will lead this session. All AAUW members are welcome. Please contact Bonnie if you plan to attend.

Introducing our New Logo



AAUW has a brand new national website, accented by our first new logo in more than 20 years. These changes, which also include an updated tagline and a fresh color palette, are designed to place AAUW on the cutting edge of digital communications and appeal to a broad audience.

Representative Karen Fann met with AAUW Prescott Branch members. We were part of the Teal Machine storming Phoenix on Legislative Day, February 7, 2013. Read the details on page 6 of this issue of the *Thumb Sketch*. The ladies in shades of blue and teal from Prescott were B.J. Forshee to the left of Representative Fann, Cathy Cunningham, Gail Shay. On the near side of the table are Kelly Boryca, Sara Wolters, Sharon Scanlan, and Edi Taylor-Richards.

If It's April, It's Time for "Teen Maze"!

April comes to a close in Prescott with the countywide event, Teen Maze. Sponsored by many of the organizations that support children in our community, the three-day event encourages young people to make good choices.

AAUW assists our Sister-to-Sister partners, Educational Talent Search (ETS) in a booth suggesting education as the key to many future choices.

Over the three days (April 24-26) we need about 24 AAUW members to "work" two-hour shifts, shepherding students through the education booth. We will briefly interact with the students and this, once again, fulfills our mission.

If you have never participated, try it! You will meet not only high-energy students, but hundreds of adults who support kids in our community. That, alone, is AMAZING!

Sign-up sheets will be available at the neighborhood meetings and at the April Saturday meeting.

Reality Store and Career Fair for Girls

AAUW, the Girl Scouts (providing state-wide publicity), North Star Youth Partnership, and local schools are working together to provide a Reality Store and Career Fair for middle school through high school aged girls. The event will kick-off with Claire Louge as the key-note speaker on April 6 at Prescott College's CrossRoads Center.

Fifty to 75 girls are expected to arrive at 9:30 a.m. with their registration forms and \$5 to pay for the day, including lunch. Beginning at 10:00, the girls will role-play as women about 28 years old with families and chosen careers. Each one will purchase food, clothing, housing, transportation, and anything needed for her family within her salary. AAUW members will act as storekeepers at 20 tables where the girls can shop using checkbooks to record their purchases for a month. Girls will actively make choices as to how much to spend at each table and manage life surprises that come their way. The wrap-up session will discuss what choices they found difficult, what surprised them in the process, what sacrifices they made when their career salaries did not cover their needs. They will be encouraged to think about the possibility that they could extend their education in order to have higher paying jobs that would bring better lifestyles for their families.

After a pizza luncheon, the Career Fair portion of the day will run from 1:00 to 3:30 p.m. with the girls rotating through stations about every 20 minutes where speakers (AAUW members and others from the community) will describe their careers and their journeys: what path led them through their career or

careers; what failures and risks they faced; what new things they explored; what guided them; and how crooked were their paths?

This event was successfully run in California over a few years beginning with 3 Girl Scout Troops. When the Girl Scout Council of Orange County decided to replicate it, it was opened to 25,000 girls. This is the first year it is being presented in Prescott. The hope is to do it every year in order for more girls to participate and gain realistic visions for their futures.

To be successful, 8 more AAUW members are needed as storekeepers, and 4 more are needed to help in the afternoon. The storekeepers' hours run from 8:45 to noon. Training will be from about 9:00 to 9:30. Career speakers have already been enlisted. The career speakers will need to be there from 12:30 to 3:30.

This community action project has been in the works for a year. When polled, a large number of our AAUW members indicated they were former Scouts and that they were willing to help. Now is the time to contact Pat Mann with your commitment to be a shopkeeper for the education of these girls. You can also commit to this project at the neighborhood meetings and interest group meetings where one person or the group leader will send the names to Pat.

Pat Mann, Event Chair

Tech Trek Coming to AZ

What is Tech Trek? It is a weeklong camp for middle school girls that takes place on a college campus and introduces them to STEM careers (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics).

In 2013, AAUW will expand Tech Trek nationwide with the addition of five new pilot sites in Ohio, Oklahoma, Florida, Texas and Washington. AAUW is providing assistance to states, including a \$10,000 grant, to host a Tech Trek camp.

At their January quarterly meeting, the AAUW-AZ board approved a request from the State STEM Exploratory Committee Chair, Michelle Higgins, to proceed to plan a statewide Tech Trek camp for the summer of 2014. The preferred location would be on the NAU campus in Flagstaff for about 40 girls. The cost to attend a camp will be approximately \$800. Each attendee's family will be asked to pay \$50. Branches, in collaboration with other statewide and community organizations, will be asked to provide scholarships for each girl they sponsor. AAUW-AZ has agreed to help underwrite some of the costs of sending girls to camp.

Go to www.aauw.org/STEM and www.aauw-techtrek.org, to learn more about Tech Trek.

Nominating Committee Report

In January, the Nominating Committee met and presented to the Board, for their approval, the following candidates for the 2013-2014 Executive Board:

President-Elect: *Patti Blackwood*

Membership Co-VPs: *Nancy Del Mar and Deb Dillon*

Program Co-VP: *Carol Clayton*

Recording Secretary: *Sara Wolters*

Corresponding Secretary: *Julie Cargill*

Treasurer: *Jenine Peterson has agreed to serve a second term*

Members will be asked to vote on this slate of officers at the April 13th General Meeting.

Nominations may be made from the floor at the time of the election, provided consent of the nominee has been obtained.

President Anne Barton, Membership Co-VP Gail Shay, and Program Co-VP Lynne Murphy will continue to serve on the 2013-2014 Executive Board.

I wish to thank the following Nominating Committee Members for volunteering their time and expertise: Gail Shay, Lynne Murphy, Sara Campbell, Julie Cargill, Marge Rubin, Sharon Scanlan, and Zibbie Wolter.

Sharon Groves, Chair

Feng Shui FUNraiser

During the snowiest 3 hours of 2012 the Williamson Valley Neighborhood Group raised \$50 for the Centennial Scholarship by selling used items at the Morgan Ranch Nature Park (MRNP) Bazaar at the Old Stage Stop Country Store on the corner of Williamson Valley Road and Outer Loop Road. MRNP will be sponsoring another Flea Market at the same location **May 25**. You can feng shui your home and support Prescott AAUW fundraisers in 5 easy steps.

1. In your home designate a corner or carton for collecting items that are not contributing to the wild and wonderful life you now lead.

2. At your March Neighborhood Meeting volunteer to collect items, volunteer to deliver items the morning of the event, volunteer to haul items to the event, volunteer to take items to the deliverer, volunteer to work a few hours the day of the event. Bottom line - volunteer to do something to make \$\$\$\$ for the AAUW Centennial Scholarship Fund. Please price items.

3. Buy your friend's collectibles at the event (hey, who do you think bought the \$50 of stuff during the snow storm?).

Wow- that didn't even take 5 steps. What an easy fundraiser.

Contact Kathy Lopez for more info. She will be updating members via the *Thumb Sketch* as plans develop.

AAUW-Prescott Budget

2013-2014

Receipts

Dues based on 180 paying members @\$85	\$15,300.00
Total Income/Receipts	\$15,300.00

Disbursements

Association Dues @\$49	8,820.00
State Dues @\$9	1,620.00
Total Disbursements	\$10,440.00

Budgeted Branch Expenditures

<i>Thumb Sketch</i> Newsletter	135.00
Member Directory	350.00
Liability Insurance	180.00
Directors' and Officers' Insurance	725.00
Program Expense	245.00
Summer Social (Membership Tea)	250.00
Installation	35.00
Officers' Retreat	100.00
Sister-to-Sister (not covered by income)	600.00
Office/Adm/Supplies	1,000.00
Conventions/Conferences/Meetings	650.00
Fundraising Expense	300.00
Memorial Contributions from Branch	140.00
Website Maintenance	150.00
Subtotal of Budgeted Expenditures	\$4,860.00
Total Budgeted Branch Expenditures and Disbursements	\$15,300.00
Net Income/Loss	\$0.00



Opportunities for Techies

We need volunteers! Job Openings Available

- Thumb Sketch Editors
- Website Editors
- Directory/Address Book Editors
- Calendar Editors

We will train you for each position. No experience necessary except that you need to be comfortable with computer office programs (such as Microsoft WORD, and in some cases, Excel) and file management/organization. Also skill with Photoshop/Photoshop Elements is helpful for the Thumb Sketch and Website Editor positions. HTML/CSS knowledge is useful but not a requirement for Website Editors.

We know you're out there hiding in the shadows...Now's the time to come forth and shine!

If you are interested, contact Sara DeRouche, Communications Chair.

Sister-to-Sister Luncheon

Our Support is Appreciated!

"I loved how supportive everyone was and all the wonderful information that we received. It will really help me in the future and has inspired me to achieve great things."

Another success!

The message February 5, from opening remarks by Dean Sandy Garber, to good-byes by AAUW members, encouraged 24 students from Bradshaw Mountain and Meyer High Schools to pursue STEM courses of study as they prepare for their futures. Karla

Phillips, Associate Dean for the Career & Technical Education Center (CTEC), impressed the students with her personal stories of accepting challenges and pushing through fear.

Two of the student speakers were a mentor-mentee team from Yavapai College. Although they were non-traditional students, their message was to set goals that advance pursuit of big dreams and move toward them step by step.

Particularly powerful was the message by one, a mother of three, to put education first. She spoke of the challenges of taking one or two courses at a time to accommodate her family, delaying by years her career goal as a pharmacist.

The third student, a recent graduate from Prescott College, is pursuing advanced degrees in international

relations and multi-cultural studies.

She spoke of the need for greater understanding through cultural exchanges and service.

The capstone speaker was our

very own Stephanie

Jefferson, author of teen novels about heroine Kandake, warrior princess. Stephanie reminded the students that their ability to succeed was determined most of all by a strong belief in themselves...and GIRL POWER! She encouraged each of us to be supportive of all of us, creating positive energy that could accomplish whatever goals we set.

If you missed this opportunity to participate in Sister-to-Sister, watch for a November reprise.

Claudia Greenwood, Community Action Chair



Student Speakers



Sharing Stories

Anne Hartung

In January we lost a long-time AAUW member and good friend. Anne Hartung participated in several AAUW interest groups, including the movie group, Great Decisions, singles, and a book group. She was an avid quilter, and knitted many items for family and friends.

Anne was active in the Prescott United Methodist Church where she sang in the choir. She volunteered at CCJ and People Who Care, and enjoyed her membership in Prescott Fine Arts. She was a very active, young 82.

She was also a traveler. Anne made an annual trip to Santa Fe to the opera series, and frequently made trips to visit her children and grandchildren in Chandler, Minnesota, New York and Colorado.

The memorial ceremony at the Methodist Church in Prescott was attended by most of Anne's 7 children and their spouses, 15 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren as well as many of her AAUW and church friends. We shall miss her calm, cheerful presence and her dedication to her chosen activities.



Gayle Brown

Gayle Brown (12/10/21 - 2/6/13) was a longtime and faithful member of the AAUW Book Group. She would entertain the group in her own home at least once a year, serving refreshments with her beautiful china. Her home was full of posters and memorabilia from

her many travels. It was always a joy to meet there. Her favorite books seemed to reflect her travels (especially China) and her years teaching in Illinois. Thus she could enhance the understanding of the books with her personal anecdotes. She often researched the authors and the subject matter of the books. Her husband had commented that she read the assigned book the night before the book group meeting so it would be fresh on her mind. Those who did not know her in the book group might remember how she and her two daughters celebrated her 90th birthday at the AAUW Holiday Party in 2011.



The Arizona Teal Machine

Prescott Public Policy for March-April 2013

(Please see also the Arizona Sun Spring/March 2013 Edition, for a complementary report to this article.)



S. Groves, S. Wolters, and E. Taylor-Richards

You missed it? It was a sight to see! It was AAUW's Legislative Day, February 7, 2013, with 70 members from fourteen AAUW Arizona branches arriving at the

Capitol in Phoenix

attired in variations of blue-green, teal and turquoise. An *Arizona Teal Machine* emerged in the Arizona winter sun to meet with our state representatives to advocate policies that advance equity for women and girls in Arizona.

Ten members from AAUW Prescott traveled to the Phoenix Capitol, leaving before dawn, to join the AAUW Arizona Lobby Corps. The AAUW Prescott Public Policy group had pre-arranged to meet with our local state representatives, Senator Steve Pierce, Representative/House Speaker, Andy Tobin, and Representative Karen Fann.

Speaker Tobin had agreed to meet our Prescott constituency at the assembly room where the Lobby Corps was gathered at 10:30 a.m. When he entered the room, a Prescott member introduced him as House Speaker and Prescott's District Representative. He asked the room of blue-green arrayed women for questions. He called on one of our Prescott members with her hand raised, but she explained that the Prescott group was "waiting to take him outside to speak to him," and the whole assembly broke into boisterous laughter at the unintended double entendre.

In AAUW Prescott's exclusive discussions with



our District Representatives, we had positive and courteous conversations about the challenges of funding education mandates, our support for Governor Brewer's plan to expand Arizona Medicaid, and women's issues. Steve Pierce said the seven bills, which women brought up last year and passed, were driven by "bullies" led by Kathy Harrop from the Center for Arizona Policy (CAP). "If you didn't vote with them you got hate emails and threats from all over the US." (All of our reps voted almost 100% yes on the issues supported by CAP in 2012 per the CAP website.) Speaker Tobin is co-sponsor of SB 1434, a school technology bill calling for a program of enhanced electronic technology in classrooms ranging from learning tablets to a robust wireless network. The allocation of funds for such a program would have to be incorporated into the constrained school budget allocations. The budget bill has not yet been developed. Representative Fann spoke about her frustrations with voter misinformation and asked if AAUW could write an Op/Ed article clarifying what the Common Core Standards are and what they aren't.

Most AAUW members visiting the legislative session of the House and Senate in the afternoon were disappointed with the business procedures demonstrated there. While House Representatives casually visited during the floor session and answered "aye" when called to vote, the House approved eight bills in less than fifteen minutes. All bills were easily passed in the process we observed. There are currently 1100 bills in process in the 51st Legislature session.

We learned that we need closer contact with the administrative assistants to our representatives. They read and recommend all letters (handwritten, personal, stamped letters are nearly always read) to their bosses.

And we believe we succeeded in our goal to leave our representatives with a positive impression of AAUW Prescott, part of the *Arizona Teal Machine*.

The March 5th Public Policy meeting will be a presentation on mental health issues by Laura Norman, Director of Development and Communication for West Yavapai Guidance, and the April 2nd meeting will be a visit to CTEC (Career & Technical Education Center). Please join us.

Scholarship Fundraising Update

In January 2013, a year ahead of schedule, we attained our \$10,000 base required to inaugurate the Centennial Scholarship. Additional contributions are necessary to reach the amount at which there are actually funds available to generate a scholarship. If you would like to contribute to this Centennial Scholarship Fund, you may mail your check directly to our treasurer, Jenine Peterson, but made payable to Yavapai College Foundation and put "AAUW Centennial Scholarship" on the memo line.

Once the endowment is secure, we will award annual scholarships to women who have completed at least one semester at Yavapai Community College and have earned a GPA of 3.0 or higher. Preference will be given to students selecting a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering or Math) curriculum.



Raffle Tickets for this painting "First Snow—at Thumb Butte," an original oil painting by Prescott AAUW member Sheila Savannah, will be available at the March neighborhood meetings and at our April General Meeting. The prices are: one ticket for \$5, three tickets for \$10 and ten tickets for \$20. The drawing will be at our May meeting.

Guest Speaker on the National Parks for the March 12th Travel Group Meeting

On Tuesday, March 12th at 1:30 pm, the Travel Discussion Group for AAUW will meet in Founders' Suite B at the library. Since we are talking about the National Parks this time, some of our members suggested that we invite a retired park ranger who lives in this area to share his insights with our group. He agreed, so Bruce McKeeman will be making a PowerPoint presentation for us on the parks. After his talk, we will have an opportunity to ask him questions and also share our experiences with park visits. All AAUW members are welcome. Please contact Bonnie Waterer by March 8th if you plan to attend.

AAUW-Arizona State Convention

The AAUW-AZ State Convention will be held in Tucson on April 5th and 6th 2013. The Tucson branch is hosting the event, and has set the theme "Stars in our Pockets; Leadership for Tomorrow."

Margo Cowan, an attorney in the Pima County District Attorney's office, who specializes in immigration affairs, will be speaking at the dinner on Friday evening. The dinner is scheduled for 5:30 on Friday evening at the Radisson Suites Inn at 6555 E Speedway Blvd., Tucson, where the Saturday meeting will also take place.

The Registration Form can be found on page 9 and at www.AAUWArizona.org under the calendar tab. A block of rooms has been arranged at the hotel under the reservation code 'AAUW' to get the room rate of \$95 plus tax for a single or double. More complete information on the dinner meal selections and hotel accommodations is available on the registration form.

The full schedule of events has not yet been published. At this time two other speakers have been confirmed: Linda Hallman, AAUW Executive Director, will be keynote speaker on Saturday, and Arizona State Senator Paula Aboud will speak about Pay Equity in Arizona. Senator Aboud represents district 28, Tucson.

The full schedule for the convention should appear on the state website when it has been finalized. The committee meets next on Feb. 18th.

The annual business meeting will be shorter than usual, as there are no bylaw changes in 2013. The only business at this time will be the election and installation of new officers.

Register now: deadline is March 22 for the \$40 fee. After that date, the fee increases to \$45.



Presented by The Barrington House Educational Center at our February Meeting with Tea and Scones.





AAUW ARIZONA 2013 STATE CONVENTION
Tucson, Arizona April 5-6, 2013

STARS IN OUR POCKETS
Leadership for Tomorrow

Radisson Suites Hotel
6555 E. Speedway Blvd., Tucson, AZ 85710

REGISTRATION: DEADLINE March 22, 2013

NAME _____ BRANCH _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY, ZIP CODE _____

PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____

STATE OFFICE _____ BRANCH OFFICE _____

List Special needs _____

List Dietary Restrictions/allergies _____

Note: Registration includes Morning break with muffins/pastries & buffet lunch

Registration Fee Postmarked by March 22	\$40.00	\$ _____
Late Registration	\$45.00	\$ _____

Radisson Hotel Dinner, Friday, April 5

Select one dinner entree Steak _____ Salmon _____
Vegetarian _____

Number attending _____ @ \$45 per person \$ _____

Breakfast buffet coupons available at Registration Desk (discounted \$10.91ea) \$ _____

TOTAL REMITTAL \$ _____

Send check payable to AAUW-AZ with this form to:

Joan Donnelly
5952 North Placita de la Oleada
Tucson, AZ 85750

HOTEL RESERVATION INFORMATION

Guests are to make their own reservation. Please call 520-721-7100

Single or double occupancy is \$95.00 + 13.05% sales tax + \$2.00 nightly city tax.

Triple suites are \$105.00 + 13.05% sales tax + \$2.00 nightly city tax.

Reservation Code for Room Rate: AAUW

AAUW Prescott March 2013 Calendar

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DAY	DATE	TIME	GROUP/MEETING	LOCATION	TOPIC	RSVP
Fri.	Mar 1	1:00pm	Ladies Bridge 1 st Friday Afternoon	Sharon Groves		Sharon Groves
Tue.	Mar 5	1:00pm	Public Policy	Founder's B. PPL	Update on access locally to mental health care	Bonnie Waterer
Wed.	Mar 6	1:30pm	Book Group 1 st Wed. Afternoon	Ellie Laumark	Rules of Civility By Amor Towles	Ellie Laumark
Thur.	Mar 7	1:30pm	Great Decisions 1 st Thursday	Sara Wolters	Egypt: Navigating an uncertain transition	Sara Wolters
Thur.	Mar 7	2:00pm	AAUW Board Meeting	Yavapai Title Company 1235 E. Gurley, Prescott		Anne Barton
Fri.	Mar 8	10:00 am	Couples Geocaching	TBD		Sara DeRouche
Fri.	Mar 8	1:00pm	Ladies Duplicate Bridge 2 nd Friday Afternoon	Ann Sult		Ann Sult
Sat.	Mar 9	9:30am	AAUW General Meeting	Members' Homes	Neighborhood Meetings – see article	RSVP to your hostess
Sun.	Mar 10	1:00pm	Singles	TBA	Salon	Alex Paeff
Mon.	Mar 11	1:00pm	Genealogy	Founder's B, PPL	Using Google for Research	Sharon Scanlan
Tue.	Mar 12	1:30pm	Travel	Founder's B, PPL	US National Parks; alternate travel – volunteering, swapping homes, etc.	Bonnie Waterer
Tue.	Mar 12	10:00am	Books 2 nd Tuesday Morning	Bump Room, PPL	Read a book of your choice about Queen Elizabeth I	Kathy Lopez
Wed.	Mar 13	11:30am	Lunch Bunch	Celtic Crossings, 3250 Gateway Blvd., #400, Prescott		Kathryn Madden by Mar 10
Wed.	Mar 13	5:00 pm	Movies	Kathryn Madden	TBD	Kathryn Madden
Thur.	Mar 14	10:00am	Photography	Yavapai Title Company 1235 E Gurley, Prescott	Eyes	Stephanie Brown
Fri.	Mar 15	1:00pm	Ladies Bridge 3 rd Friday Afternoon	Elizabeth Kaites		Elizabeth Kaites
Fri.	Mar 15	5:30pm	Singles	TBA	Dining Out	Sandra Bennett
Sun.	Mar 17	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 3 rd Sunday Evening	Randy Clark		Randy Clark
Mon.	Mar 18	1:30pm	Books 3 rd Monday Afternoon	Elesa, PPL	I Feel Bad About My Neck by Nora Ephron	Cathy Cunningham
Wed.	Mar 20	7:30am	Hiking	Butte Creek Trails		Carol Stafford or Laury Shayne by Mar. 18
Sun.	Mar 24	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 4 th Sunday Evening	Ann Sult		Ann Sult
Mon.	Mar 25	1:30pm	Geocaching	TBA		Sara DeRouche
Tues.	Mar 26	1:30pm	Gardening	Vera Stewart	Soils in Prescott	Vera Stewart
Wed.	Mar 27	10:00am	Books 4 th Wednesday Morning	TBA	The Professor and the Madman by Simon Winchester	Joy Evans
Wed.	Mar 27	1:30pm	Great Decisions 4 th Wednesday Afternoon	Bonnie Waterer	Egypt: Navigating an uncertain transition	Bonnie Waterer
Thurs.	Mar 28	1:00pm	Books 4 th Thursday Afternoon	TBA	The Professor and the Madman by Simon Winchester	Susan King

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Tue.	Apr 2	1:00pm	Public Policy	Yavapai College CTEC Campus; 220 Ruger Rd., Prescott	Tour and overview of the CTEC campus and programs. Take 89 to Ruger Rd. Go past Ruger building to CTEC.	Deb White
Wed.	Apr 3	All Day	Genealogy	McClelland Irish Library, Phoenix	Research and tour of the new Irish Library	Sharon Scanlan
Wed.	Apr 3	1:30pm	Book Group 1 st Wed. Afternoon	Kat Cooper	State of Wonder By Ann Patchett	Kat Cooper
Thur.	Apr 4	1:30pm	Great Decisions 1 st Thursday	Ann Janecek	NATO? Crisis? What Crisis?	Ann Janecek
Fri.	Apr 5	1:00pm	Ladies Bridge 1 st Friday Afternoon	Muriel Haverland		Muriel Haverland
Fri. – Sat.	Apr 5 - 6	All Day	AAUW Arizona State Convention	Tucson	See Arizona Sun for information	
Sat.	Apr 6	All Day	Gardening (special event)	Phoenix Art Museum	Flower Displays	Mardy Taylor or Annette Schiller
Mon.	Apr 8	1:00pm	Genealogy	Founder's B, PPL	Immigration and Naturalization	Sharon Scanlan
Tue.	Apr 9	10:00am	Books 2 nd Tuesday Morning	Bump Room, PPL	The Human Brain; members read a book of their choice	Kathy Lopez
Wed.	Apr 10	11:30am	Lunch Bunch	Hassayampa Inn 122 E Gurley St, Prescott		Kathryn Madden by Apr 7
Wed	Apr 10	5:00pm	Movies	Gretchen Paustian	TBD	Gretchen Paustian
Thur.	Apr 11	10:00am	Photography	Yavapai Title Company 1235 E. Gurley St, Prescott	Lone Tree or Solitary	Sara Wolters or Stephanie Brown
Thur.	Apr 11	2:00pm	AAUW Board Meeting	Yavapai Title Company 1235 E. Gurley St, Prescott		Anne Barton
Fri.	Apr 12	10:00am	Couples' Geocaching	TBA		Sara DeRouche
Fri.	Apr 12	1:00pm	Ladies Duplicate Bridge 2 nd Friday Afternoon	Barbara Perkins		Barbara Perkins
Sat.	Apr 13	9:30am	AAUW General Meeting	Yavapai College, Bldg. 19, Community Room	What YOU Do Matters – Lessons from the Holocaust by Sheila Polk, Yavapai Co. Atty, Annual Business Meeting	No RSVP required
Sun.	Apr 14	1:00pm	Singles	TBA	Salon	Alex Paeff
Mon.	Apr 15	1:30pm	Books 3 rd Monday Afternoon	Elesa, PPL	Eleanor Roosevelt; members read a book of their choice	Cathy Cunningham
Wed.	Apr 17	7:30am	Hiking	TBA	TBA	Carol Stafford or Laury Shayne by Apr 15
Fri.	Apr 19	1:30pm	Ladies Bridge 3 rd Friday Afternoon	Julie Cargill		Julie Cargill
Sun.	Apr 21	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 3 rd Sunday Evening	Tamara Voss		Tamara Voss
Mon.	Apr 22	1:30pm	Geocaching	TBA		Sara DeRouche
Tues.	Apr 23	1:30pm	Gardening	Mary Schroer	Container Gardening	Connie Gates
Wed. – Fri.	Apr 24 - 26		Teen Maze	Armory, E. Gurley St., Prescott	See article for details	Claudia Greenwood
Wed.	Apr 24	10:00am	Books 4 th Wednesday Morning	TBA	Testimony by Anita Shreve	Joy Evans
Wed.	Apr 24	1:30pm	Great Decisions 4 th Wednesday Afternoon	Jenine Peterson	NATO	Jenine Peterson
Thurs.	Apr 25	1:00pm	Books 4 th Thursday Afternoon	TBA	TBA	Susan King
Sun.	Apr 28	6:30pm	Couples Duplicate Bridge 4 th Sunday Evening	Sharon Groves		Sharon Groves

Income Tax Deduction Information Concerning Dues

Just a reminder that a portion of your National AAUW dues is tax deductible for the year 2012. If you paid the full amount of \$85 for the year 2012-13, you can deduct \$46 as a charitable contribution. If you paid the 1/2 price of \$42.50 (those who joined between January 1, 2012, and March 15, 2012), the portion of your National Dues that is deductible is \$23.00. If you are uncertain as to what your status is, please feel free to contact Jenine Peterson, Treasurer by phone or email (see Membership Directory).

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